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TO USMISSION IAEA VIENNA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: APER, AORG, TECH, IAEA (THURMAN, DONALD S.)

SUBJECT: IAEA STAFFING - SAFEGUARDS OPERATIONS POSITION

1. MISSION REQUESTED NOMINATE DONALD S. THURMAN (ATLANTIC RICHFIELD HANFORD CO., RICHLAND, WASHINGTON) FOR A POSITION IN IAEA DIVISION OF (SAFEGUARDS) OPERATIONS.

2. MISSION WILL RECALL THAT THURMAN SERVED AS IAEA INSPECTOR IN VIENNA PERIOD MAY 1972 - AUGUST 1974. HE WAS HIGHLY REGARDED AND PRAISED FOR HIS WORK WITH AGENCY BUT, DUE PERSONAL CIRCUMSTANCES AT THAT TIME, WAS UNABLE ACCEPT AGENCY OFFER FOR EXTENSION HIS ASSIGNMENT. ON BASIS HIS FORMER AGENCY BACKGROUND AND RECORD OF EXPERIENCE WITH ATLANTIC RICHFIELD (1969-72, 74-PRESENT), ERDA BELIEVES THURMAN WILL BE ABLE MAKE VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO AGENCY'S DEVELOPING SAFEGUARDS PROGRAM.

3. ERDA SUPPORTS THURMAN'S REQUEST THAT HE BE NOMINATED AT P-4 LEVEL BUT UNDERSTANDS OFFER AT P-3 STEP 8 LEVEL WOULD BE ACCEPTED.

4. THURMAN HAS ERDA "Q" CLEARANCE WHICH SERVES AS FAVORABLE PRELIMINARY CLEARANCE UNDER E.O. 10422.
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5. AGENCY APPLICATION AIRMAILED BY THURMAN DIRECTLY TO MISSION (GABBERT). PRIOR TRANSMISSION TO AGENCY, MISSION AUTHORIZED INSERT FOLLOWING IN ITEM 12, DEPENDENTS: BERNICE NMI, BORN 6/17/35.
WIFE.

6. ERDA WOULD APPRECIATE EARLY ADVICE ON POSSIBILITIES OFFER
(AND SALARY) BEING EXTENDED THURMAN SINCE HE CONSIDERING OFFER
OF ERDA (S&S) IN INTERNATIONAL SAFEGUARDS. SUBJECT TO ADVICE
RECEIVED, ERDA WILL THEN INITIATE CSC PROCESSING.

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